Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

Amendment to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph under the heading "DEPOSITS" on page 49 with the following:

Applicant(s) will make have made a deposit of at least 2500 seeds of Soybean
Variety XB19U04 with the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC), Manassas, VA
20110 USA, ATCC Deposit No. [[]] PTA-6442. The seeds deposited with the
ATCC on [[]] December 15, 2004 will be were taken from the deposit
maintained by Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., 800 Capital Square, 400 Locust
Street, Des Moines 7100 NW 62nd Avenue, Johnston, Iowa 50131309-2340 since prior
to the filing date of this application. Access to this deposit will be available during the
pendency of the application to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks and
persons determined by the Commissioner to be entitled thereto upon request. Upon
allowance of any claims in the application, the Applicant(s) will make the deposit
available to the public pursuant to 37 CFR 1.808. This deposit of Soybean Variety
XB19U04 will be maintained in the ATCC depository, which is a public depository, for a
period of 30 years, or 5 years after the most recent request, or for the enforceable life of
the patent, whichever is longer, and will be replaced if it becomes nonviable during that
period. Additionally, Applicant(s) have or will satisfy all the requirements of 37 C.F.R.
§§1.801 - 1.809, including providing an indication of the viability of the sample upon
deposit. Applicant(s) have no authority to waive any restrictions imposed by law on the
transfer of biological material or its transportation in commerce. Applicant(s) do not
waive any infringement of their rights granted under this patent or under the Plant
Variety Protection Act (7 USC 2321 et seq.). <u>U.S. Plant Variety Protection of Soybean</u>
Variety XB19U04 may be applied for Unauthorized seed multiplication prohibited.